

Mr. Sweat, from the joint committee to receive bids for printing and binding, submitted a report.

Ordered printed, referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees, together with the bill in relation to public printing and binding, and made special for Wednesday at ten o'clock.

A Senate bill concerning election and registration in the year 1870 was taken up.

[By leave, Mr. Moore of Chowan, changed his vote from the negative to the affirmative on the passage of the bill to raise revenue on its second reading.]

Mr. Vest moved to amend the bill just taken up by striking out in section first the words "a coroner, a sheriff."

On this amendment,

Mr. Jarvis called for the yeas and nays.

The call being sustained,

The amendment was rejected by the following vote:

Those who voted in the affirmative were,

Messrs. Carson, Dixon, Downing, McCanless, Proctor, Sinclair and Vest—7.

Those who voted in the negative were,

Messrs. Ames, Argo, Armstrong, Ashworth, Barnett, Barnes, Boddie, Candler, Carey, Cawthorn, Cherry, Davis, Davidson, Durham, Eagles, Ellis, Farrow, Ferebee, Forkner, Gibson, Green, Grier, Gunter, Hawkins, Hendricks, Hicks, Hinnant, Hodnett, Hoffman, Horney, Humphries, Hudgings, Ingram, Jarvis, Justus of Henderson, Kelly of Davie, Kelly of Moore, Leary, Long of Chatham, Long of Richmond, Malone, McMillan, Moore of Alamance, Moore of Chowan, Morris, Nicholson, Painter, Pearson, Pou, Price, Proffitt, Ragland, Renfrow, Robbins, Robinson, Shaver, Simonds, Smith of Alleghany, Smith of Wayne, Snipes, Stanton, Stevens, Stilley, Strudwick, Sweat, Sykes, Thompson, Vestal, Waldrop, Welch, Whitley, Williams of Harnett and Wilson—74.

Mr. McCanless moved to amend by striking out all of section 1 after the words "and districts."

On this amendment,